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NAME NEW TEACHERS

SCHOOL BOARD FILLS SEVERAL SCHOOL VACANCIES

CHANGES AT GARFIELD

Will Have Only Two Teachers Next Year Instead of Three—Miss Albert Is Named Principal

Following a meeting of the school board held last night all the vacancies existing in the schools for the next year were filled, with the exception of a teacher in the department of manual training and athletics. The number of applicants for these positions have been remarkably few and those who have applied have asked unusually high salaries.

A teacher for the newly installed commercial department was named in the person of Miss Frances W. Hess, who has been teaching this work in the Carrollton public schools. Miss Hess is a graduate of the Warrensburg state normal school and also has diplomas from the Brown Business College at Kansas City and from the Central Business College at Denver, Colo. She comes to Maryville highly recommended.

Miss Hazel Hoffman, now a student in the Missouri State University, was selected to teach the class in history, formerly taught by Miss Lois Hailey. Miss Hoffman carries both an A. B. and A. M. degree.

Miss Edna Robinson of Kahoka, Mo., was selected to teach science. She has had two years experience and has an A. B. and B. S. degree.

On account of the decreased attendance at the Garfield school but two teachers will be employed there instead of three, as formerly, placing it on the same basis as the Franklin school. Miss Ada Albert was chosen as principal and Miss Mamie Kane, now third grade teacher, was chosen as principal of the Jefferson school.

Miss Mary Sewell, who for the past year has been teaching in the Trenton schools, was chosen for the primary grade at the Jefferson. Miss Sewell is a daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. John H. Sewell of this city.

Miss Opal Key was chosen for the second position at the Garfield school. Miss Key has been a student at the Normal here for the past five years.

Mrs. John Bahm returned last night from St. Joseph, where she has been spending a few days.

DEATH OF MRS. LEWIS PAYTON

Dies at Her Home In Parnell After a Long Illness—Is Survived by Husband and Three Children

Mrs. Lewis Payton, past 60 years of age, died last night at her home in Parnell of a long illness of a complication of diseases.

Mrs. Payton is survived by her husband, two sons and one daughter. Her sons are Will and J. C. Payton of near Parnell and her daughter is Mrs. Cal Rauch of Allendale, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Methodist church at Oxford and burial will be in the Oxford cemetery.

BOY SCOUTS DID GOOD WORK

County Chairman W. C. Pierce Praises Efforts of "Gleaners" In Liberty Loan Campaign

The following letter from Chairman W. C. Pierce, in charge of the third Liberty Loan committee, enclosing the $25 in gold to the Boy Scout patrol selling the most Liberty Bonds, also expresses warm appreciation of the work of the Scout organization and of individuals:

May 9, 1918.

Mr. A. M. Crooke, Scoutmaster,
Maryville, Mo.

My Dear Sir:—

I have your report to the effect that the Black Bear patrol, Troop 2, is entitled to the prize of $25 in gold offered by the third Liberty Loan committee for the Boy Scouts' patrol that would sell the most bonds.

This and all other patrols, as well as each individual member thereof, is entitled to great credit for their splendid work in line of patriotic duty. They had a hard and closely picked field to work and were gleaners in fact.

Floyd Cook, for selling the greatest number of bonds, and Paul Robey, for selling the largest bond, are each entitled to special mention.

On behalf of the committee I return sincere thanks to your splendid organization and all those who compose it. The committee will certainly feel free to avail themselves of your kind offer of service in future campaigns.

I am enclosing $25 in gold.

Yours truly,
W. C. PIERCE,
County Chairman.

Mrs. Laura Beal and daughters, Misses Bertha and Allie, who have been spending several months at the Bainum Hotel, returned yesterday to their home on East Fourth street.

COMMITTEES NAMED

COUNTY ORGANIZATION IS READY FOR RED CROSS DRIVE

POLK TWP. QUOTA $5,000

Nodaway Must Raise a Total of $20,950—Most Townships Will Organize for School Dist. Campaign

H. W. Montgomery, county chairman for the Red Cross drive which starts on May 20 and continues for one week, announces today the quotas for the various townships, together with the committee in charge in each township. The committee have authority to appoint sub-committees for school district organization, or to conduct the campaign in any manner that may seem advisable to insure the best results.

The quotas and committees are as follows:

TOWNSHIP QUOTAS.

Atchison	$1,000
Grant	1,000
Green	900
Hopkins	1,250
Hughes	1,500
Independence	1,100
Jackson	1,250
Jefferson	1,000
Monroe	1,250
Nodaway	1,250
Lincoln	1,500
Union	1,000
Washington	1,000
White Cloud	1,000
Polk	5,000
Total	$20,950

COMMITTEES.

Jackson township — E. F. Bishop, chairman; I. A. Goodson, Rev. C. R. Green, S. H. Casteel.

Jefferson township—R. W. Graham, chairman; Jim Enis, T. E. Archer, Oscar Klaas.

Hughes township — Mrs. M. M. Rhoades, chairman; Mrs. W. E. Freytag, Mrs. F. L. Miller.

Independence township—W. N. Morgan, chairman; E. E. Yetter, Albert Wilson, George Hepburn.

Polk township — C. C. Hellmers, chairman; H. L. Raines, R. P. Hosmer, Albert Kuchs.

Atchison township — John Clary, chairman; Joe Miller, Geo. Holbrook, John Burch, W. P. Lemon.

Green township—H. C. Bailey, Elmer W. Johnson, George J. Hickerson.

Grant township—Sam Conlin, Clyde Perkins, John Fields, L. B. Campbell.

Hopkins township — W. L. Robb, chairman; C. E. Donlin, E. C. Wolfers, Jim Pistole.

Union township — C. R. Harmon, chairman; Wilber Smith, Roland Wray, C. G. McMillan.

Washington township—Carl Wray, E. C. Starin, A. H. Wilson.

Monroe township—F. H. Barrett, J. O. Miller, J. B. Reynolds.

Nodaway township — J. W. Praiswater, Chas. Fergerson, Dr. G. C. Trusty.

Lincoln township—Rolland Alexander, C. R. Lamar, R. R. Joy.

TO SEE CORN TEST STATION

J. C. Hackelman, Assistant In Agriculture, Was Here From State University to Learn Methods Used

J. C. Hackelman, extension assistant professor of agriculture at the University of Missouri, was here yesterday to meet J. M. Huston, district farm agent. Mr. Hackelman came for the purpose of visiting the corn testing station and to get a summary of the work done and to take photographs so as to be prepared to establish the method of handling and the equipment needed. Mr. Hackelman will also visit the station at Chillicothe. Maryville and Chillicothe have the largest corn testing stations in operation in the state.

Agent Huston has established stations at Savannah and at Tarkio and other towns in Atchison, Andrew and Nodaway counties.

Old-fashioned Peppermint Patties at Orear's.

GET THEIR COMMISSIONS

Maryville Home Guards Officers Are Officially Recognized by State—Plan to Get Uniforms

Commissions were received yesterday by Capt. Paul Sisson and First and Second Lieutenants Harry D. Snyder and George Palfreyman, officers of the Maryville Home Guards company. The local company will be known as the 28th separate company of the state organization.

With the completion of the organization the members are now interested in securing their uniforms and equipment, the committee in charge having worked out plans whereby it may be acquired within a short time.

Drill calls on two nights a week have met with prompt response by the men and they are getting into fine shape.

EXCELSIORS FIRST

ARE WINNERS IN THE SERIES OF EVENTS AT THE NORMAL

EUREKANS WON SECOND

Literary Contests Closed Last Night With a Debate and Extemporaneous Speaking On Program

The series of inter-society literary events at the Normal ended last night with the Excelsiors having taken first place in three events, the Eurekans being tied for second place with two firsts, the Philos being a close third. The events last night consisted of a debate, extemporaneous speaking and announcement of essay winners.

The third in the series of debates was on the question: "Resolved, That Disputes Between Capital and Labor Should Be Settled by Compulsory Arbitration." The Excelsiors, represented by Louie Youngman and Minnie Turner taking the affirmative side of the question, were given the decision by the judges, getting 481 out of a possible 600 points. The Eurekans on the opposing side, with Lou Mutz and Clifford Hix, scored 557 points out of a possible 600. The debaters made the subject a most interesting one.

In the extemporaneous speaking contests Miss Ethel Pruitt of the Excelsiors was given first place, scoring 279 out of a possible 300 points. The Philos took second with Miss Mattie Dykes scoring 278 points, and third place went to the Eurekans, represented by Lloyd Hartley, who scored 263 points. The subject chosen by the Excelsiors was: "Will There Be a World Democracy?" The subject chosen by the Philos and Eurekans was "Patriotism in 1776 and 1918."

Essay winners were announced as follows.

Philos first; Miss Lillian Nelson; 271 out of a possible 300 points; subject, "The Moral and Religious Effects of the War."

Eurekans second; Miss Mahala Saville; 267 points; subject, "The Disciplinary Effects of the War."

Excelsiors third; Miss Minnie Turner; 261 points; subject, "Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow."

In the essay contest each of the three literary societies had two entries.

The series of events this year have attracted much attention and have proved unusually interesting, calling forth the best efforts of members of the societies.

APPROVES SINGLE DELIVERY

With the decision of merchants to make only one delivery a day, Maryville took her place in the forefront of Missouri cities with regard to efficiency and her part in winning the war.

In a letter from Sigmond Baer, chairman of the Board of Commercial Economy for the State of Missouri, to Secretary E. M. Claypool of the Commercial Club, is included the following:

"I am in receipt of yours of the 4th instance, in which you notify me that the merchants of your town have arranged for one delivery a day, on which I congratulate you.

"I am sure it will not only help the nation to conserve men, but it will also save your merchants, in time, considerable money.

"In this connection I wish to state that beginning May 1, St. Louis has also 'come onto the band wagon' and started one delivery a day. From

SCHOOLS LAST WEEK

EVENTS BEGIN SUNDAY WITH THE BACCALAUREATE SERMON

THE MAY DAY PROGRAM

Will Be Held Thursday Morning—Class of Thirty-one Is Approved by the High School Faculty

COMMENCEMENT WEEK CALENDAR

Sunday evening, May 12—Baccalaureate sermon in the Christian church by Rev. C. E. Miller.

Tuesday afternoon, 2 p. m., May 14.—Ward school programs.

Thursday morning, 10 a. m., May 16.—May Day festival in front of Washington school, under the direction of Miss Nell Hudson.

Thursday evening, 8 p. m., May 16—Graduation exercises in the high school auditorium.

Friday evening, 8 p. m.,—May 17.—Class Day exercises in high school auditorium.

Monday evening, 8 p. m., May 19.—Graduation exercises at the Douglas school.

At a meeting of the high school faculty on Wednesday afternoon the following candidates for graduation from the Maryville high school were approved, provided all required work is duly completed:

Lucile F. Wiley.
Ruth Jones.
Etha Henderson.
Virgil L. Rathbun.
Loren E. Egley.
Paul R. Pickens.
Lorena Barbara Kirch.
J. Henson Puckett.
Mary Ellen Angell.
Ruth Marquise Hankins.
Blanche L. Landfather.
Lillian Marie Davenport.
Annice Opal Neal.
Bessie Marie Turner.
Francis L. Halasey.
Leska Bernice Wray.
Gladys E. Morehouse.
John F. Wallace.
Jennie G. O'Neal.
Abbie Bel Colden.
Virginia Carolyn Robinson.
Jessie Luella Fannon.
Louise Kathleen Murphy.
Helen Dolores Davis.
Mary Weedon Carpenter.
Hester Ellen DeNeen.
Lela Louise Maier.
Jamie L. Covey.
Helen Abigail Dean.
Lucile J. Wright.
Mary Margaret Condon.

An admission fee of fifteen cents to school children and twenty-five cents to adults will be charged at the Class Day exercises on Thursday evening. The proceeds will be used in defraying a part of the commencement expenses.

MANUAL TRAINING DISPLAY.

The boys of the manual training department will display their work to the public Friday afternoon in the hallways of the first floor of the high school building. A large amount of beautiful furniture has been made and the boys would be glad to have their friends visit the school tomorrow and see the results of their work in this department.

FIVE SCHOOLS TO TAKE PART

At the graduating exercises to be held in Clyde next Wednesday, May 15, several schools will take part, among them being Clyde, Conception Junction, St. Mary's, Green Valley and Bristle Ridge. The following program is announced:

Music—Mrs. Riley.
Flag Salute—Graduates.
Song—"Soldier's Farewell"—Clyde and Green Valley schools.
Piano Solo — Conception Junction school.
Dialogue—Clyde school.
"Red, White and Blue"—Pantomime—St. Mary's school.
Music—Mrs. Riley.
Song—Clyde school.
Dialogue — "Haunted House" — St. Mary's school.
Duet—Conception Junction school.
"Come and Play With Me"—Song—Conception school.
Music—Green Valley school.
Song—"Help Save Old Glory"—St. Mary's school.
Dialogue—Green Valley School.
Valedictory—Bristle Ridge school
Address—Prof. Bert Cooper.

CANNON HEARD 100 MILES

Bombardment Last Night On Flanders Front Was Heard Across the North Sea In England

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 9. — Intense gunfire, accompanied by vivid flashes was heard on the southeastern coast from the other side of the North Sea throughout the night, said a Dover dispatch to the Star today. The firing was heaviest between midnight and dawn and could be heard well inland. It was thought possible that Ostend was being bombarded, but it possibly was a bombardment of Ypres.

(From Ypres to London is approximately 100 miles.)

TODAY'S CASUALTY LIST 76

A Lieutenant Among Those Killed In Action, the War Department Announced Today

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 9.—The names of ten men, one of them a lieutenant, killed in action, headed the casualty list of seventy-six names announced by the war department today. Six succumbed to disease, two were victims of accidents, three died of wounds, thirteen were severely injured, forty-one were slightly wounded and one previously reported missing is now a prisoner.

ONE MILLION MEN BY JULY 1

America's Contribution to Allied Army Will Also Include New Guns to Compete With Kaiser's Best

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 9.—America's contribution to the Allied army reserve to stop the Hun advance in Belgium, France and Italy will be one million men by July 1. Not alone men, but guns of a new type designed to cope with armament from the Krupp and Shoda plants will be brought into action, it was learned today. Secretary Baker, characteristically conservative in the announcement, said last night that the pledge that half a million men would be sent to France had been made good. It is said on high authority that cannot be questioned that by the time the year is half over America's forces over-seas will exceed one million men.

THE UNION SERVICE PROGRAM

"Sunday School In Many Lands" Will Be Told In Story and Pictures at Christian Church Friday Night

The union service tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the Christian church in observance of "Children's Week" will include a stereopticon lecture by Rev. S. A. Coile, "Sunday School In Many Lands." An interesting program has been arranged and is free, no charge or collection being taken. Following is the program in full:

Overture — Orchestra of Christian Sunday School.
"America, My Country"—Miss Zenor.
Invocation—Rev. C. Emerson Miller.
"My Task"—Mrs. F. P. Robinson.
"Children's Week"—Rev. C. Emerson Miller.
"The Old Sweet Story"—Miss Orpha Faris.
"Sunday School In Many Lands"—Stereopticon Lecture—Rev. S. A. Coile.
Benediction—Rev. G. S. Cox.

GERMAN GENERALS DISAGREED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 9.—Field Marshal Von Hindenburg and his chief aide, Von Ludendorf, had a disagreement over the delayed German offensive on the west front, according to reports from Holland correspondents. The kaiser and the crown prince are said to have taken respective sides.

BRITISH LINE IS HIT AGAIN

PRESSED THE BRITISH BACK IN AN ATTACK IN THE SECTOR NORTH OF KEMMEL

YPRES IS OBJECTIVE ON FLANDERS FRONT

May Be Prelude to Another Big Drive—British Made Slight Gains In Local Fighting East of Amiens and Around Bucquoy

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 9.—The British again advanced their lines on the Picardy front east of Amiens; also the Germans were driven back from parts of the Allied line they had penetrated on the Flanders front southwest of Ypres, the war office announced today. A strong counter attack was made last night against the Germans on the LaClytte and Voormezeele sectors in Flanders where the Germans at heavy cost gained a strong foothold on the British front line, the attack being successful the Germans being driven out.

The extension of the British lines on the Picardy front was carried out between the Somme and Avre rivers, while the Germans renewed their attacks north of Kemmell hill. Two German divisions took part in the attacks, both sustaining heavy losses, although pressing the British line back for a considerable distance. The fighting on this sector is still in progress, it is announced.

Local fighting took place around Bocquoy yesterday in which the British took thirty prisoners. German artillery developed great activity during the night around Albert.

London, May 9.—The objective of the enemy seems to be the pushing forward of his line in order still further to outflank Ypres on the southwest and press on toward Poeperinghe and the railway line running between that town and Ypres.

As yet only meager advices have come through concerning the nature of the engagement, but unofficial reports indicate it was made only in divisional strength. Whether it would develop later into another of the great battles that have been fought in this area could not be foretold.

On the Toul sector the Americans for the first time have opened against the Germans with their heavy artillery.

After several weeks spent in preparation the American artillerists, having picked out targets in the rear of Montsec, reported that they were ready to open fire a couple of days ago. But for reasons not disclosed the guns were not fired until today.

About forty big shells were sent over Montsec at the heavy German batteries composed of 203s, captured from the Russians, which had been firing for some time, especially at the American battery positions.

FRIDAY
ONE MEAL WHEATLESS
USE NO BREAD, CRACKERS, PASTRY OR BREAKFAST FOODS CONTAINING WHEAT

THE WEATHER

Showers tonight and cooler; Friday fair and much cooler.

Notice to Vehicle Owners

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL VEHICLE OWNERS OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE THAT VEHICLE TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1918 ARE PAST DUE. Any vehicle owner who has not paid such tax by May 15th, 1918, will be subject to prosecution.

By order of the Board:

EMERY AIRY, City Clerk.
PURL EDWARDS, Chief of Police.

Tomorrow—

Is the 10th day of the month and the last day of Discount on your Electric Light Bills. Better hurry.

Maryville Electric Light & Power Company
Empire Theatre Bldg. Phone 21

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
11 and 17 cents

Paramount pictures, with
VIVIAN MARTIN
With overflowing measure of charm, in
The Trouble Buster
A story of love, pluck and thrills.
Tomorrow, "THE WASP."

Dance
EVERY THURSDAY NIGHT AT WOODMEN HALL

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 10th, 1918
At The Christian Church
"Sunday School In Many Lands"
Stereoptican Lecture by REV. S. A. COILE

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Delivered in Maryville by carrier at 10c per week. Sent by mail anywhere in the United States for $3.00 per year.

Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

Will Begin Work at Remus Store.

Joe Cornell, who, for the last five years has been connected with the H. Murray transfer company of Maryville, has resigned that position and will begin work Monday as salesman at the Remus Mercantile store.

Mrs. Prather Returned Home.

Mrs. Ben Prather of Brookline, Mass. who has been in Maryville on business for several days, left yesterday for her

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

GREEN TWP. PROUD OF RECORD

H. C. Bailey, Chairman, Desires That Solicitors Should Be Credited for Fine Work Done

Green township, with an over-subscription to the third Liberty Loan of 264 per cent, leading all other townships in the county, may be pardoned a sense of pride in the fact. H. J. Bailey, chairman, expresses thanks for the work of the solicitors in the following to the Democrat-Forum.

"It was with a full measure of gladness that we learned the good news of our wonderful success in the third Liberty Loan in Nodaway county, and more especially are we jubilant over the way old Green township responded to her call to duty. We are not wanting to be boastful as a township just because we are the banner township so far as per cent over our quota is concerned, but we would like to ask permission to feel a little sense of pride because of this fact; and even then we are not forgetful that we owe the success of this great victory, not only in our township, but in our county, to our worthy county chairman, W. C. Pierce.

"I, as chairman of this work in Green township, wish to take this means of thanking the men who acted as solicitors in the different school districts of Green township. How well they did their duty is told by the amount of bonds sold, which was $53,100, this being 264 per cent over our quota. Now, honest, can you blame us for wanting to express our thanks to these men and CROW just a little?

"H. C. BAILEY,
"Green Township Chairman."

Old-fashioned Peppermint Patties at Orear's.

Angell's Comedians are bigger and better than ever this season. Don't fail to see them all next week in their big waterproof tent theatre. Admission 10c, 20c and 30c, plus war tax. Adv.

Remember the famous dog that is advertised listening to "his master's voice"? Well, Doc Malotte comes forward with the following story that has the Victor dog laid in the shade. Doc's dog was at the home of a friend and the other day his owner thought to take a day in the field. Doc called up his friend and asked him to tell the dog to go home. A little later the friend called up and said the dog refused to obey the order and would not go home. "Put his ear to the phone," said Doc. The friend did as he was told and Doc called the dog by name and said, "Come, boy, home." The dog wrenched himself out of the arms of the man who held him and dashed for Doc Malotte's home. Fact. ASK DOC.

Mrs. Roy Wolfers of Pickering will go to Omaha tonight, where she will visit several days with her sister, Mrs. L. R. Slonecker

BOY-POWER NEEDED

MEDAL AWARDS TO BOYS IN U. S. WORKING RESERVE

CALL IS FOR FARM HELP

Every Boy Physically Fit Is Eligible for This Non-military Civilian Army — The Plan

In order that the youth of the land who are making sacrifice in order to serve their country by working on farms may receive proper recognition of their service the U. S. Boys' Working Reserve has been organized by the department of labor. Every boy in Nodaway county who is working on a farm should become a member of this great agricultural army.

Enrollment is voluntary and the requirements are that the boy, between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one years, be working on a farm. He may be working for his father and still be eligible for the Reserve. There are already several applications for enrollment, according to E. M. Claypool, director for Nodaway county U. S. Boys' Working Reserve.

Every boy physically fit is eligible for this great non-military civilian army. To enroll, the young man makes application to the state director, the county director or an enrolling officer appointed by the state or county director. He must fill out an enrollment card and gain the consent of his parents, after which he takes the oath of service and receives an enrollment badge.

After six weeks service on the farm he is eligible for a federal badge bearing the Great Seal of the United States.

The United States is being forced to complete a work of reorganization in a few months, which was accomplished in German in a period of thirty years. There is a need for manpower in agricultural and industrial pursuits. The shortage must be met by a re-distribution of labor. In order to solve the tremendous problem the department of labor turned to the five million young men between sixteen and twenty-one years of age. So these fellows are being enrolled in a great reserve and in order that their efforts may receive the recognition due they are being enrolled and given badges of merit.

"There is no greater honor," said Director Claypool, "that can come to a boy these days than to receive a badge showing membership in the Boys' Working Reserve. In a different form, but just as necessary, the boys are rendering as great a service as though they were carrying guns on the battlefields of Europe."

OBSERVE MOTHER'S DAY HERE

Next Sunday Mothers Will Be Honored by the Presentation of Gifts of Flowers

Mothers' Day will be observed Sunday, when mothers are honored over the entire country by the presentation of floral gifts. Flowers are worn that day, white in memory of the mother dead, and colored in honor of the mother living. The day is set apart by congress for that purpose, and the president issues a proclamation calling upon government officials to display the United States flag on all government buildings, and the people to display the flag at their homes or other suitable places on this day. "as a public expression of our love and reverence for the mothers of our country."

The day this year particularly appeals to the nation, for thousands of mothers have given sons to swell the ranks of those who are fighting in France in the cause of civilization, and for the honor of home and country. Therefore, those whose family circles have not yet been called upon to supply a son for the cause, in paying homage to the living mothers, should feel that they are honoring motherhood — the true motherhood that makes for pure home lives, good citizenship and good government.

WILL SHOW PICTURE SLIDES

Interesting Views at Christian Church Friday Night for Children's Week

A fine set of stereopticon slides have been received for use on Friday evening at the Christian church in commemoration of Children's Week. They will introduce the audience to Sunday school life and Sunday school leaders as well as Sunday school activities in China, Korea, Japan, the Philippines, Africa, India and South America. An interesting and descriptive lecture has been prepared for these slides and will be given by Dr. S. A. Coile. All those interested in home, children and Sunday school are urged to attend.

C. C. Corwin is in Chicago on bus-

STOPS WASHING DISHES TO INVEST $10,000 IN BONDS

Atlanta, Ga., May 9.—One of the team captains in the Liberty Loan caupaign this week was canvassing a company at Camp Gordon and paused to interview a private who was washing dishes in the kitchen.

"You ought to be able to handle a fifty-dollar bond, at least," he insisted. "The commander will arrange to hold small payments out of your pay and you'll have a bit of a nest egg when you get back from France. How

"I'd rather draw all my pay, thank you," he said. "I may need it. But you may put me down for bonds to that amount," he added, handing a check to the captain.

The check was for $10,000. The private was W. J. Etherington of Pennsylvania, who owns a controlling interest in one of the big coal companies. He subscribed $50,000 to each of the former bond issues and had taken an equal amount in the third issue through his home [illegible]

Old-fashioned P[illegible] at

For Friday and Saturday

Six new patterns 9x12 fibre rugs, choice $10.00
See our new line of organdie and voile waists for 1.00
Most attractive styles in town for $1.00.

White and ecru mercerized marquisette, for making curtains—our regular 50c value for 35c

All nottingham lace curtains HALF PRICE.
White or ecru scrim curtains with lace edge, $1.00 values for 65c
We have a few children's ribbed hose left, 35c values for 23c
Ladies' black cotton hose 12½c
Men's Rockford socks—our 18c values for 12½c
Half linen table damask, a yard 69c
Mercerized table damask, our 75c value for 55c
Good quality percales at 20c
Choice of a big selection of curtain materials at HALF PRICE.

WOOL SUITS

A selection taken from our regular stock greatly reduced. We assure you these are excellent values, as we have marked them low for quick selling.

WHITE WASH SKIRTS

See our $1.25 and $1.50 wash skirts, made from linen and pique. We have looked around town and find we have the best values for the money. Other wash skirts up to $10.00.

Short lengths Pepperel unbleached sheeting, a yard 50c
35c longcloth or nainsook for, a yard 28c
98c dark aprons for 69c
$1.50 black cotton petticoats $1.19
10c turkish wash cloths 5c
35c bleached turkish towels 24c
25c bleached turkish towels 18c
Gauze vests for 15c
25c half linen crash, a yard 18c
36 inch stripe percales 22c
Choice of a lot of corsets, worth from $1.00 to $3.00 for 50c
Sizes 18 and 19 only.

Ladies' outsize summer weight union suits, sizes 40 to 44, worth 50c for 44c

Choice of a big selection of white or colored dresses— our $7.50 values for $6.75

25c white outing flannel 18c

With a $2.00 purchase here Friday we will give FREE a Perin Vacation Kit, containing talcum, cold and vanishing cream, tooth paste, perfume, face powder.

ALL OTHER MERCHANDISE NOT OTHERWISE ADVERTISED WILL BE SOLD AT A DISCOUNT OF TEN PER CENT, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF RUGS AND LINOLEUMS. WHEN YOU PAY THE CLERK THE AMOUNT OF YOUR SALESLIP SHE WILL REFUND YOU TEN PER CENT OF YOUR PURCHASE.

D. R. Eversole & Son

Great May Sale

Bargains for Friday *and* Saturday

WHITE GOODS

One big lot of fine fancy white dress goods, worth regular from 48c to 69c; some in this lot are slightly soiled and mussed from handling—they make beautiful waists, dresses, etc., from 36 to 45 inches wide, your choice now only, per yard 27c

SKIRTS

About 20 beautiful fancy silk skirts, this season's very newest materials and styles, our regular $19.75 to $25.00 skirts will be sold Friday and Saturday, your choice of the entire lot for only $15.75

COATS AND SUITS

Buy a new suit or coat now and take advantage of these extraordinary reductions.

$25.00 Suits now only $19.75
29.75 and 35.00 Suits now only 25.00
37.50 and 40.00 Suits now only 29.75
45.00 and 49.75 Suits now only 38.50
60.00 and 62.50 Suits now only 49.75

Your choice of any coat in the house now at a reduction of 10 per cent.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Our entire stock of the famous "Dove" Undermuslins was bought when the price of muslins, nainsooks, and long cloths, were less than one-half the present day price, and they are all marked in plain figures at the old low prices, but for Friday and Saturday we will sell them at a still further reduction of **10 per cent off.**

WASH GOODS

One lot of colored wash goods including voiles, batistes and some skirtings in the lot, will be closed out at, per yard only 19c

CRETONS

We have an immense line of patterns and colors in cretons, suitable for knitting bags, summer coverings for furniture, draperies, etc., your choice of our entire stock Friday and Saturday at **20 per cent off.**

BLOUSES

Buy a new georgette or crepe de chine waist Friday or Saturday at these greatly reduced prices.

$12.50 Blouses will be only $9.75
10.00 Blouses will be only 8.65
8.75 Blouses will be only 7.25
7.50 Blouses will be only 5.95
5.00 Blouses will be only 3.95
3.98 Blouses will be only 2.95

SILK DRESSES

Here is an opportunity to buy one of our very handsome creations and this season's newest dresses.

All $16.75 dresses now only $12.75
All 19.75 dresses now only 17.25
All 21.00 and $22.50 dresses now only 19.50
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FARMERS ATTENTION!

It is now about time to breed for that second crop of pigs. Every patriotic farmer should raise two crops this year. If you need a boar and pure bred Poland-Chinas suit you, I can fit you out at from $50 up. Come and make your selection and I will deliver to you anywhere within 20 miles.

W. B. GEX, Graham, Mo.
Farmers phone 15-60.

TWO YEAR'S WORK OF D.A.R.

Report of Mrs. Chas. T. Bell, Regent, Made at the Annual Meeting Held Last Saturday

The following report, covering the work of the Maryville chapter of the D. A. R. for the past two years, was made Saturday by Mrs. Chas. T. Bell, regent, at the meeting of the chapter: To the Maryville Chapter D. A. R.:

Ladies—

I wish to submit the following report of my regency, beginning May 13, 1916, and ending May 4, 1918.

Our membership has grown in two years from fifty members to sixty-seven, an increase of seventeen members.

Flag Day, June, 1916, was observed in cooperation with the G. A. R. in the celebration of the seventieth anniversary of the first flag-raising in Nodaway county. An account of this historic event, written by our historian, Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, was published in the January issue of the D. A. R. Magazine.

Flag Day, June 14, 1917, was celebrated in a very different way. Our chapter conducted a tag day for the benefit of the French War Orphans. One hundred seventy-eight dollars and thirty-five cents was collected and forwarded to the treasurer-general.

Missouri Day in October, 1916, and October, 1917, was observed with appropriate programs on Missouri historical subjects.

The birthdays of the chapter were also observed at the October meetings.

Two parlor bazaars were held in November, 1916, and November, 1917. The proceeds were fifty dollars for 1916 and $64.60 for 1917.

Washington memorial services were held Sunday, February 26, 1917, at the Christian church; sermon by Rev. C. E. Miller. The Grand Army of the Republic and the Women's Relief Corps were guests of the chapter at this service.

Washington's Birthday, February 22, 1917, was observed with a "Patriotic Vignette." Two hundred guests were entertained and a silver offering of fifty dollars was received.

On account of war conditions no social event nor entertainment was held in February, 1918.

February 24, 1918, Washington memorial services were held at the Presbyterian church, with a sermon by Dr. S. A. Coile. The Grand Army of the Republic and the Women's Relief Corps were our guests and attended in a body. This service was well attended by the Daughters and was a most impressive service.

In March, 1918, the chapter secured a picture show, "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," as a benefit for the Red Cross. One hundred and nine dollars, the proceeds, were given to the Nodaway county Red Cross.

In 1916 and 1917 the chapter spent $44.00 caring for the old cemetery and planting trees and shrubbery. The cemetery is in fair condition now. A number of the trees and some shrubbery seem to be alive and will add much to the appearance in a few years. This last year we felt on account of urgent war needs that we were not justified in spending much money for this work. However, we did keep it in fairly good condition, much better than when we took over the care of this abandoned spot. We are pledged to care for it so the chapter must count on an expenditure of at least $20.00 this summer.

The chapter had a part in lifting the debt of our beautiful Continental Memorial Hall by contributing $25.00.

A few weeks after war was declared the chapter organized a unit under the National Surgical Dressings Committee. A number of our members took instruction in this work at the State Normal and became instructors of the units that were organized here and over the county. Our unit continued in this work from May, 1917, to October, 1917, when we became an auxiliary of the Nodaway county Red Cross. All of the officers and most of the instructors in the National Surgical Dressings Committee of New York were members of our chapter. We were the pioneers in the surgical dressings and hospital garment work and made a good foundation on which to build our splendid Nodaway county Red Cross.

The D. A. R. Red Cross auxiliary is small because so many of our members are department officers and instructors in the Nodaway county Red Cross. We have reason to be proud of our work and cooperation in the Red Cross. We hope that more of our members who are not working will arrange to work in the D. A. R. auxiliary.

Our state regent, Mrs. Painter, requested a picture of our war work activities to be preserved for future generations and for display at the congress. Your regent had a picture made of the D. A. R. auxiliary at work and forwarded two copies to Mrs. Painter. Reports of the patriotic and war relief work of the chapter were sent to Washington.

The chapter gave $48.00 to the Missouri D. A. R. Ambulance Fund; $10.00 to the Y. M. C. A. Fund; $10.00 to the Red Cross; $29.50 for the restoration of the village of Tilloloy, France; $65 for the third Liberty Loan; and $36.50 for the support of a French War Orphan.

This makes a total of $199 for war relief work this year. There was raised through the efforts of the chapter $176.35 for the French War Orphans and $109 for the Red Cross, making a total of $486.35.

A request came from the State Normal for a copy of "Our National Flag," compiled by Mrs. W. R. Painter. The regent wrote Mrs. Painter, who kindly sent several copies to be given where they would be appreciated. They were presented by the chapter to the State Normal and the Carnegie library.

All social meetings and entertainments were discontinued this year and only necessary business meetings have been held. In this way money and time have been conserved for war work.

Before leaving the chair I wish especially to thank the ex-regents, Mrs. Orear and Miss Brunner, who have never failed to support and assist in every undertaking of the chapter; vice-regent Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, for her hearty cooperation during my regency; the treasurer, Mrs. Jackson, who has had much extra work on account of the special assessments; Mrs. Gray, our faithful and efficient secretary, and all other officers and committees.

The custodian, Mrs. DeHart, resigned on account of removal to Columbus, Ohio. The regent took charge of the numerous chapter belongings and will turn them over to the new custodian.

It has been necessary this year to ask for more money than usual. For three years there had been no assessments except for the bazaar and a few times small amounts for entertainments. This year you were asked for $3.00 per capita above your regular dues—$1.00 or equivalent for the bazaar, $1.00 for the Missouri Ambulance, and $1.00 for the Liberty Bond. The demands of war made it necessary for us to raise this money, and we would not be worthy to be Daughters of the American Revolution if we did not try to respond to these urgent and worthy calls from our national officers. I am sorry that all our members did not respond, but I believe as we get deeper and deeper into this war that our ability to sacrifice will increase and no one will refuse to do her part. On behalf of the new regent and officers I implore you to give heed to these calls and do your utmost to respond in generous ways. We have done well this year, but we must do better next year for the needs will be greater.

We must give more than we have ever given and our officers will carry heavier burdens of responsibility than they ever had to bear, and we must support them.

We are going through the testing time and we will have many opportunities to show whether we are worthy of our ancestry, whether we are worthy members of the greatest patriotic society of women in the world, the Daughters of the American Revolution.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE

HOW TO GROW

ASPARAGUS

The crop is one of the most enduring and satisfactory vegetables. It can be grown on almost any well-drained soil, but will do best on a deep, sandy loam. There is little possibility of having the ground too rich and liberal applications of partly rotted barnyard manure should be made before the plants are set. The seeds of asparagus may be sown during the spring in the rows where the plants are to remain and the seedlings thinned to stand 14 inches apart in the rows.

It is usually more satisfactory to purchase two-year-old roots as considerable time is saved in this way. As the asparagus bed is a permanent feature of the garden it should be located accordingly. Before setting the plants the soil should be loosened very deeply, either by sub-soil plowing or by deep spading. It is a good plan to remove the top soil and spade manure into the sub-soil to a depth of 14 to 16 inches. The plants may be set in rows for horse cultivation or in beds. If in rows they should be set 14 inches apart, with the rows 3½ feet apart. If in beds, one foot apart each way is the proper distance to set the plants. In setting the plants the crowns should be covered 4 or 5 inches deep.

In the north the plants should receive a mulch of 4 to 5 inches of manure in winter. In the south the mulch is not necessary, but the plants should receive a coat of manure or an application of fertilizer, preferably in autumn.

No shoots should be removed during the first year the plants are set in the permanent bed, and the period of cutting should be short during the second year. U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Arm Band for Women War Workers.

An official arm band is the latest insignia for women doing war service. All Wisconsin women doing war work under the direction of the woman's committee, Council of National Defense—whether state, county or local—will be urged to wear it while on duty. The band will be of khaki-colored cotton cloth with the Wisconsin coat of arms and the words "Council of Defense" embroidered in colors. It will be sold at cost.

The khaki arm band is the first recommendation of a special state committee which has been working on the problem of a distinguishing form of dress for the Council of Defense women. It is now considering the recommendation of a standardized form of dress, a regulation uniform being deemed impracticable.

Stop Itching Eczema

Never mind how often you have tried and failed, you can stop burning, itching eczema quickly by applying a little zemo furnished by any druggist for 35c. Extra large bottle, $1.00. Healing begins the moment zemo is applied. In a short time usually every trace of eczema, tetter, pimples, rash, blackheads and similar skin diseases will be removed.

For clearing the skin and making it vigorously healthy, always use zemo, the penetrating, antiseptic liquid. It is not a greasy salve and it does not stain. When others fail it is the one dependable treatment for skin troubles of all kinds.

Oren's.

News at Clearmont.

Jas. Milbanks shipped a car of hogs to St. Joseph Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Trueblood, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ed Teuscher, returned to their home in Kansas City Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennet Gaffney left Tuesday for Warm Springs, Montana, where they have positions in a hospital.

Andrew Garrett of Silverton, Colorado, arrived Saturday to visit relatives. He will go from here to San Antonio, Texas to see his brother, Hubert, who is in training at Kelley Field.

David Shear, who has been sick for several months died at his home Saturday morning of tuberculosis. He was 62 years of age and had resided in Clearmont for 25 years. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Sunday at 5 p. m. conducted by Rev. Holland. Burial was in Oak Hill cemetery.

Al Wolf left Friday for Kansas, where he will visit for a short time and from there he will go to Seattle, Wash., to visit his nephew, Roy Wolf.

Chas. Wilson and wife went to St. Joseph Tuesday to have Mrs. Wilson's eyes treated.

Mrs. Baughman and daughter, Mina, returned home Friday from Clarinda, where they have been working for several months in the state hospital.

Obituary.

Anna Belle Daines was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hutchinson. She was born in Belmont county, Ohio, October 3, 1856, and went to sleep in full faith in her Savior at their home in Graham, Mo., May 3, 1918, aged 61 years, 6 months and 3 days. On April 10, 1880, she was married to T. N. Daines at McArthur, Ohio. No children were born to them. The husband is left to mourn her loss; also one sister, Mrs. John Judy, of Graham, with Mrs. Myrtle Barcus, a niece, and Dallas Judy, a nephew, living at Fillmore, Mo.

When seventeen years of age deceased taught her first term of school and she continued her chosen profession for seven or eight years. Leaving Ohio, she, with her husband, settled on a farm six miles southeast of Graham, where they lived until about 22 years ago, when they moved to town, where they have resided continuously until her death. In 1899 she united with the M. E. church under the preaching of Rev. Jordan and ever endeavored to honor her Lord.

Sister Daines was of nervous temperament, rather given to looking on the dark side of life, which made her a suitable subject for the form of paralysis which finally accomplished the breaking of the silver cord. The end came very peacefully and without a struggle as she looked back to bid farewell to mortality and then turned to receive the reward offered by Him who is the resurrection and the life.

Before becoming unconscious she selected the scripture text she wished used at her funeral—Matt. 24:44—"Therefore be ye also ready, for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of Man cometh." Her favorite song was, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." During her three years of suffering kind hands have ministered to her comforts in every way possible.

Funeral services were held at her home church Sunday, May 5, at 2 p. m., in charge of Elder Harlan and Rev. Croy. Interment in Prairie Home cemetery.

Marriage License.

A marriage license was issued yesterday in St. Joseph to Virgil F. Laughlin of Stanberry and Miss Mabel Donaldson of Guilford.

To Teach at Maple Lawn.

Miss Ethel Lawrence has been selected to teach the Maple Lawn school in Atchison township at a salark of $80 a month.

We have often wondered if preachers make any comment when they hit their fingers with a hammer.

If you enjoy a good play, hearing good music and specialties, go to Angell's Comedians, in their big tent theatre all week commencing Monday, May 13. Adv.

It is quite in keeping with the fitness of things that Mr. Frieze should engage in the ice business.

NO ADVANCE IN PRICE

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First call a physician. Then begin hot applications of—

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Make The Garden Produce More

Set out better plants and select the best varieties. See our plants and become familiar with our varieties. Our prices are right, too.

Potted early tomato plants 35c per dozen, 3 dozen for $1.00. Transplanted (not untransplanted seedlings) early and main crop tomato plants 15c and 20c per dozen; $1.00 and $1.50 per hundred. Transplanted early Wakefield and Copenhagen market cabbage plants 15c per dozen; 2 dozen for 25c; $1.00 per 100.

Transplanted mango pepper plants, our superior strain, 25c per dozen, $2.00 per 100.

White sweet potato plants ready now; red and yellow ready May 12 —75c per 100; $7.00 per 1,000.

Transplanted best purple egg plants ready May 10, 25c per dozen; $2.00 per 100.

Potted watermelon plants, 3 plants to a pot, 35c per dozen pots; $2.50 per 100 pots.

We deliver free to any address in Maryville. Phone and mail orders receive prompt and careful attention. Please add postage to all parcel post shipments. We make no extra charge for packing.

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Wm. Everhart

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Geo. R. Ellison, Vice-Pres. & Counsel — A. W. Hoover, Attorney

Maryville, Mo., May 2, 1918.

As a conservation measure, and at the suggestion of the National Council of Defense and the United States Food Administration, we the undersigned Grocers and Meat Dealers of the City of Maryville, Missouri, do enter into the following agreement between F. P. Robinson, Nodaway County Food Administrator and ourselves.

On and after Wednesday, May 15, 1918, we will make but one delivery a day, leaving our places of business at 8 a. m. each day, no orders to be delivered except those received by us on the previous day and listed for the next morning delivery. Except that on Saturdays we will make an additional delivery, leaving our places of business at 4 p. m. and for which no orders will be taken after 3 p. m. of said day.

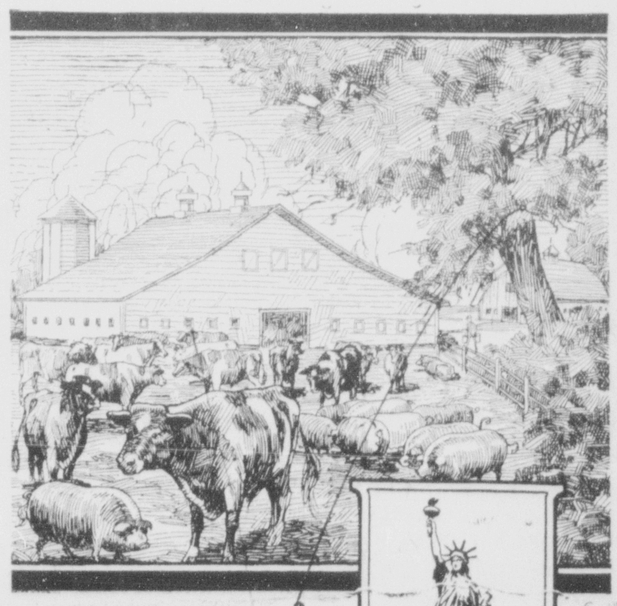
This agreement to remain in effect till the close of the war, unless sooner rescinded or amended by unanimous consent of all of us and with the approval of the Nodaway County Food Administrator.

Signed by—

N. Schumacher & Sons — Chas. Buhler
Remus Mercantile Co. — T. F. Reimer
E. L. Townsend — W. F. Thompson
Aug. Stapler. — C. F. Nichols
L. S. Byers — W. B. Price

Approved.

F. P. Robinson,
Nodaway County Food Administrator.



MEAT! More Meat! A world demand for meat and a world shortage of livestock. Farmers and stockraisers are facing new problems in the raising and marketing of livestock. New ideas, new theories, strict economies must be practiced on every side. A closer cooperation between banker and producer is necessary.

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Plays a big part in maintaining the good health of the family in warm weather. We are showing a very large line of Modern Sanitary Refrigerators in all sizes and prices.

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These refrigerators are heavily insulated and will keep food cool and will also keep ice. They are easily kept clean and therefore sanitary.

On account of the food and ice saving qualities these refrigerators are the most economical on the market.

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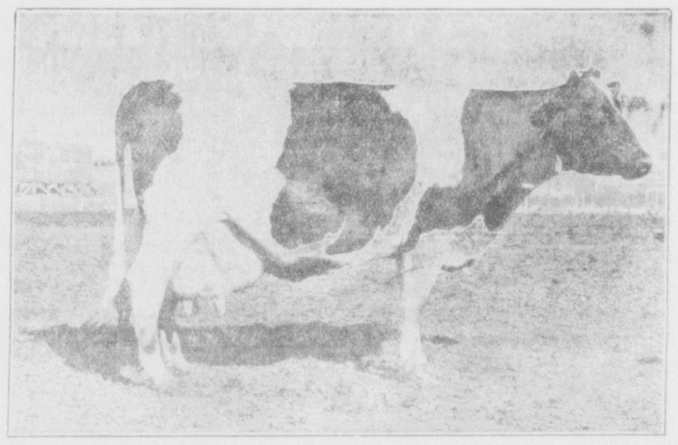


Public Sale

I will sell at the STAR BARN, Maryville, Missouri, commencing at 2 o'clock, on

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 1918

25 Head High Grade Holstein Cows and Heifers

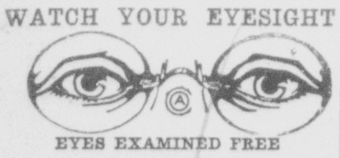
This is a choice lot all Tuberculin tested and selected from one of best dairy sections of Illinois. They are all young, ranging from 2 to 6 years of age, and will sure suit you if you want Holsteins that are producers. Part of these cows will be fresh sale day and balance are close to calving.

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer
J. F. ROELOFSON, Clerk

W. A. Mulholland

P. S.—These cattle are now at the Star Barn and you are invite to inspect them at any time.

WATCH YOUR EYESIGHT



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Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

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POTATOES MAY GO TO WASTE

Increased Consumption Is Necessary to Prevent Spoilage

Columbia, May 9.—Millions of bushels of potatoes from last year's crop will go to waste unless used by June 1st.

In view of the stringent flour shortage the food administration urges everyone to eat more potatoes now and save the flour.

It is of vital importance to send wheat across the sea to the armies and the people "over there."

We can only send what we save.

One of the best ways to save wheat is to eat more potatoes.

Chemists have demonstrated that good bread can be made from 50 per cent flour and 50 per cent potatoes. Home bakers can consume a great many potatoes in this way.

Real Wheatless Bread Loaf.

Don't let the family eat so much of it that you haven't any left to put away. Tell them it is bread and no matter if it has no wheat in it they are not supposed to eat any more than they need.

Barley and Oat Bread.

1 cup milk, 4 tablespoons fat, 4 tablespoons syrup, 2 eggs, 6 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 cups barley flour, 1 cup ground rolled oats. Nuts or raisins if desired.

Add to the milk the melted fat, syrup and slightly beaten eggs. Mix the dry ingredients together and combine with liquid ingredients. Bake as a loaf in a moderately hot oven for one hour or until thoroughly baked.

To prepare ground rolled oats, run them through the food chopper.

Make narrow loaves. They are easier to cut.

Howard Martin to Navy.

Howard Martin of Maryville left today for Kansas City where he will enlist in the United States navy.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Bone, who have been in Kirksville for several months, returned Monday to their home in Maryville. Dr. Bone attended a clinic while in Kirksville.

It is only on rare occasions that one sees a loafer who is not able bodied.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office.

Soldier's Letters

RED TAPE FOR THE MEDICS

Lieut. Pierpoint Writes From Fort Riley of the Work There

The following letter to H. W. Montgomery of Skidmore from Lieut. J. E. Pierpoint gives some interesting information concerning the work of the doctors there:

"You must realize at once that I am not going to be able to write to all the people who probably think that I should write to them.

"Have just returned from Sunday lunch and will write you a few lines while I enjoy a Vicoria Gloria cigar, one of a box which I received from Mc. yesterday. I have a chance to smoke a little before breakfast, at lunch time and again after dinner, and, by the way, all day Sunday.

"We had for lunch today, baked chicken, dressing, corn salad, potatoes, sliced tomatoes, head cabbage, biscuits, peach pie, oranges, bananas, coffee, etc., so you see the mess is fine. It costs us $1.00 per day. Have paid more than a dollar for the above meal many a time.

"I want you to tell, for me, a lot of those fellows that if they think Teddy can get up more speed to this army training than Prof. Wilson has instilled into it to come down and follow old Doc Pierpoint for one day, and then if they decide in favor of Teddy I will buy them a new pair of trousers, for they will need them. Is that plain?

"There is coming into the medical camp from seven to fifteen M. D's. a day, and about that number shipped out for the front. Last summer they gave these men from 15 to 20 weeks training; now we are getting from 8 to 12.

"Passed my physical examination Friday and it seemed to look fairly good to them. The old major who took my chest expansion called out, 'Six inches, and 48 years old; the best I have had for several days.' That made me feel fit.

"But this army regulations, medical duties, manual equipment and the Lord knows how much other stuff, sure looked appalling for one man to master. Yet the last day or two it has begun to unfold. Hope to be able to master it; most of them seem to. As a rule, they are a fine looking bunch of men and most of them are taking it's thing to heart from a patriotic standpoint. Everybody is working hard and making the best of it. Will say that nine-tenths of them have made business and professional sacrifices. And most every man talks, more or less, about the 'kiddies' at home. It looks like the M. D's. are making some sacrifice, not bragging.

"The instructors are a fine bunch o' fellows, but they are hard on our trail to master all this red tape. Of course, to the ordinary civilian red tape looks foolish, but let him come in here and try to run it without and he would be on the rocks in a very short time.

"I have sure changed my mind about a lot of things along that line and you would, too, if you could only see and understand it.

"Saw 'Windy' Hopkins yesterday evening. Fred Smith and Tom Hickerson look fine. The boys have been up to see me several times.

"Kansas had a good snow last week and a downpour of rain yesterday. Most of the wheat in this section looks good as I saw on my way out.

"Am getting the News and I presume I read every line in it. The first time I was ever guilty of doing that. I never realized before what a good paper Skidmore has. Tell Billy not to lock up the shop until I get back.

"Homesickness has not bothered me like it has a great many of the men here, but I pride myself a great deal on self-control. Yet, as I drove out through Highland View that afternoon a great panorama, covering events for nineteen years, opened up before me, such a one as might come before one entering the endless future. I thought of sadness and troubles, and then of joys and pleasures, of the many kindnesses of numerous friends. And then I went into the future; of my duty to my country and family and my numerous friends, and the determination of doing my 'bit' as I saw it. At the end of the first mile I was steeled with that determination.

"It requires the work of five people to keep one man at the front, so don't let the people drag. They must do their 'bit.'

"When a new doctor comes in they ask him what he did with his Ford, or what the number of it was, and, if he should be a little large around the belt, they proceed to yell out, 'You will never get rich, you fat son-of-a-gun, working in the army.' There are numerous other jabs, just what any of them happen to think of, and you take it or do worse. The new man gets his revenge the next day.

"Write a line when you can spare the time.

"Kindly,

"J. E. P."

A SAFE TEST.

For those who are in need of a remedy for kidney troubles and backache, it is a good plan to try Doan's Kidney Pills. They are strongly recommended by Maryville people.

Miss Harriet McClurg, 109 E. Thompson street, Maryville, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills were just the thing in my case. I was troubled by pain and weakness in my back, hips and loins and could hardly get about. My kidneys acted too often and caused me great annoyance. Doan's Kidney Pills cured all those troubles and my health is now good." (Statement given September 19, 1908).

On June 12, 1916, Miss McClurg said: "It certainly is a pleasure to confirm my former recommendation for Doan's Kidney Pills. It has been a long time since I have had to use them, so I consider the benefit permanent."

60c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

SEE A BANNER WHEAT CROP

Forecast on the Condition of Winter Wheat Promises a Record-breaking Yield—Possibly 650,000,000 Bu.

Washington, May 9. — A possible 650,000,000 bushels, the greatest winter wheat crop since the record-breaking yield of 1915, together with a probable increase of 15 per cent in the acreage of spring wheat—that is the forecast made in a report on the condition of winter wheat by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States through its committee on statistics and standards.

"The present acreage now standing in winter wheat," says the report, "is 20 per cent greater than the acreage at the same time in 1917. But the greatest promise of a high yield of winter wheat is found in the general high condition of the wheat, a condition which has improved steadily since the first of April.

"Estimates of coming yields are always uncertain because of the possible vicissitudes of weather and depredations of insect enemies. But the crop has come through the trying month of March with a higher condition than it entered it, and with moderately favorable weather from now on there is promised a production of at least 600,000,000 bushels. It may go as high as 650,000,000 bushels if all goes well."

Sewing Circle With Much Whispering

We Are All Greatly Indebted to Those Who Tell Their Experiences.

Before the arrival of the stork there is much to talk about. The comfort of the expectant mother is the chief topic, and there is sure to be someone who has used or knows of that splendid external help—Mother's Friend.

Nausea, nervousness, bearing-down and stretching pains and other symptoms so familiar to many women are among the dreaded experiences thousands of mothers say they entirely escape by the use of this famous remedy.

Its influence on the fine net-work of nerves and ligaments just beneath the skin is wonderful.

By the regular use of Mother's Friend during the period the muscles are made and kept soft and elastic; they expand easily, without strain, when baby is born and the pain and danger at the crisis is naturally less.

Mother's Friend is for external use only, is sold by all druggists, and should be used with the utmost regularity. Write to the Bradfield Regulator Co., Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for a valuable and interesting "Motherhood Book." There is a wealth of instruction and comfort to be derived in reading this little book. It is plainly written and will be a splendid little text book for guidance, not only for yourself but will make you helpful to others. And in the meantime do not fail to get a bottle of Mother's Friend from the drug store and thus fortify yourself against pain and discomfort.

CONTENT TO FIGHT AND DIE RIGHT AT THE MESS TABL

Indianapolis, May 9.—His life had been spent in the backwoods of Kentucky, in the land of moonshine and feuds. He was long and lean of form and he wore the khaki in a manner that betokened a new recruit. His countenance registered wonderment as he gazed upon the tall buildings and strange sights of the Hoosier metropolis. He was one of the Kentucky selects sent here for training and the city's novelties held him in rapt attention until mess time. It was the first army meal for the draftees and the chefs had "done themselves proud." The lanky mountaineer ate and ate until the board was cleared. Then he stretched his angular frame and sighed:

"Boys, if this heah is ouah ahmy life Ah wants to fight and die right heah."

Returned From Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cornell and baby son, who have been visiting since Sunday in St. Joseph and Kansas City, returned last night to their home in Maryville. Mr. and Mrs. Cornell will visit in Graham and Burlington Junction the rest of the week.

WAR SHOWS NEED OF ROADS

Highway Building Will Follow Truck Production, Says Dean McCaustland of Missouri University

Columbia, May 9. — In rebuilding Belgium and France the first problem confronting the engineers was the construction of highways. Nothing could be done toward building up the country until the lines of communication were opened. Roads, bridges, waterways, canals and highways are necessary to the re-establishment of agriculture and industry.

"While this need of roads is impressed dramatically upon us after a devastating war it is none the less important in times of peace," says Dean E. J. McCaustland of the University of Missouri. "In some parts of the United States a plan has been worked out to establish rural express routes to be operated daily in a regular, dependable and economical manner. This plan will enable the farmer to get his supplies to market cheaply and without interfering with his farm is a prerequisite to any motor truck haulage, but since the trucks are being produced in quantities it is likely that the roads upon which to operate them will soon follow. To be successful transportation trucks of this sort must be loaded both ways. This can be accomplished by towns organizing plans, possibly through their commercial clubs, to supply return loads for trucks that bring in freight or express.

"Recent experience shows that light motor traffic, say about 300 tons each 12-hour day will necessitate only low maintenance cost on the highways," according to Dean McCaustland, "but that such cost will increase with the traffice, most rapidly if such is carried on hard rubber-tired motor trucks, less if carried on horse-drawn vehicles and still less on inflated tires, such as used on automobiles.

"The promptness of delivery by motor truck traffic is a material item in its favor. Perishable freight can be promptly delivered and congestion at the terminals avoided."

Right Now—Today

Is The Time to Order Your Winters Supply of Coal

The U. S. Fuel Administration has repeatedly warned all consumers of coal to put in their winter's suply of coal early in the year. DON'T WAIT UNTIL LATE SUMMER TO ORDER YOUR COAL; if you do the coal supply will be overtaxed and some one will have to go without coal.

GIVE US YOUR ORDER FOR COAL NOW. EACH ORDER WILL BE FILLED IN ITS TURN AND YOU WILL BE SURE TO HAVE COAL THIS WINTER.

DON'T BE WITHOUT COAL.
ORDER NOW!

Glover & Alexander
Hanamo 116. Farmers 176

High Quality In Auto Supplies

There's just a few leading brands of auto goods we all know ALL about, because they are well advertised and have been well tested. We are handling these brands for the same reason that discriminating buyers use them—because we feel that they are the BEST.

GOODRICH TIRES RED SEAL BATTERIES
CHAMPION AND A. C. SPARK PLUGS
McKEE AND WARNER LENSES

Have stood quality tests—they are KNOWN goods of KNOWN merit. You should buy them for this reason because they will give greater service and are, therefore, most economical.

First-Class Auto Repair Work. Day and Night Storage.

Diss and Irby
Formerly Wray's Garage.

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FOR SALE AT REDUCED PRICES TO CLOSE LINE OUT. REMEDY FOR—

ROUP—LICE POWDER AND LIQUID
WHITE DIAHHOREA—POULTRY TONIC
CHOLERA—FLY KNOCKER

Phones—Han. 110; Farmers 230.

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THE STORE WITH RIGHT PRICES

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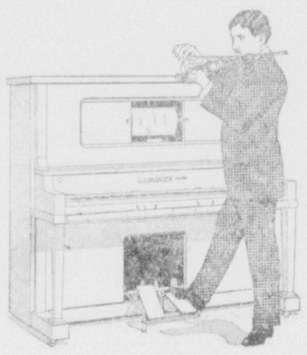

is to come to our store and look over our large stock of instruments. Here you will find pianos at various prices, and several of each style and price. You can select a piano or player that suits you in price and then select the particular piano you like best in that style. Our stock represents the best makes of pianos, for the price asked, sold in this country.

When you buy here you get the benefit of 25 years of experience in playing and selecting pianos by Mr. Landon. Our responsibility is your protection and every piano is sold under an absolute guarantee of satisfaction.

Landon Music Company

P. S.—We have only a few of the GULBRANSEN PLAYERS left at the old price. Better come in and select your Saturday.

FORM LOCAL ROAD CLUBS.

Only a few persons get what they wish without working for it. Good roads cannot be obtained by merely wishing for them. It is necessary to work for them, and to work continually and forcefully. This is just as true of good dirt roads as of the most expensive types. Furthermore, one or two men in a community can accomplish very little, except to persuade others to help actively in the campaign for improvements. Roads are community affairs and good roads are only obtained and maintained by community energy, expended continuously. It is not enough for a man to say he is interested in good roads; he must prove his faith by his works. Hundreds of good road clubs have been organized, but few have lived long or accomplished much because they did not work continuously along well-laid plans. Yet there is hardly a community where a good roads club can not become a strong influence in improving the local highways and byways. The main roads receive the attention of the state and county officials, but the much greater mileage of roads which are not parts of through routes must always be of local concern only. The improvement of through routes by the active, united effort of numerous persons interested in touring is one of the most noticeable results of a large part of the present methods of road propaganda. The same kind of work in a community will bring about equally good results in the betterment of local roads. It is the system of local roads which means most to a large portion of the rural taxpayers, for it is over the local roads that they go to market, their children go to school, and they take part in the social life of their neighborhood. The local club can accomplish a great deal of good for these roads, as has probably been shown most noticeably by the results of the work of the 365-Day Road Club of Carthage, Mo.

Go see Angell's Comedians and SMILE! SMILE! SMILE! Adv.

Gasoline Stove Causes Fire.

A gasoline stove explosion this morning at the home of Mrs. Mary Cook on West Sixth street called out the fire department for an early morning run. The blaze was quickly extinguished with chemicals with a loss of between fifty and sixty dollars, a window being burned out together with inside woodwork.

James Strickler and son, Bert, of Skidmore were in Maryville on business today.

GRADUATING CLASS EVENTS

Graham Seniors In Second Annual Class Number Four—Rev. Cox to Give the Class Address

The senior class of the Graham high school has completed its year's work and the graduating events are announced as follows:

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. McAfee of Maitland, Sunday morning, May 12.

Thursday evening, May 16, will be class night and will consist of musical numbers and orations.

The class address will be given by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox of Maryville, Friday night, May 17.

This is the second annual commencement of the Graham high school since the school was placed among the first class four-year high schools o the state. The members of this year's class are Louis Lawson, Marvel J. McDowell, Lena Finkbinder and Dora Scheffsky.

The members of the class were honor guests at a party given at the school rooms Saturday night, May 4. Progressive games were played and a dainty luncheon was served.

Old-fashioned Peppermint Patties at Orear's.

LABOR MISSION VISITS FRONT.

Members Compliment Soldiers on Gallant Fight—Dine with Pershing.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

With the American Army in France, May 9.—The labor mission visiting in Europe arrived at field headquarters Wednesday and visited several billets behind the Toul front, the troops being drawn up for inspection. The members congratulated the soldiers on their gallant fights. The members were guests of General Pershing at dinner.

The artillery has been normal here with no infantry fighting on the Lunneville sector for the past twenty-four hours. The Germans sent over gas shells, but made no attack.

HITCHCOCK TO STONE'S PLACE.

Nebraskan Will Head Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 9. — The senate democratic steering committee voted today to recommend the appointment of Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock, of Nebraska as chairman of the senate foreign relations committee to succeed the late Senator Stone of Missouri. The action is virtually the equivalent of election and only requires the formality of confirmation.

Hogs Are Poisoned.

Ora Burch has a pasture lot adjoining the Burlington tracks south of town and on same were running eleven 120-pound shoats. The hogs took suddenly sick last Thursday and all but one of them died, five of them Thursday and the other five the next day. Dr. Reeder was called and pronounced it a case of "hog poisoning." Where the poison came from is a mystery. Some think it may have been thrown to the hogs from someone on a passing train—possibly some German sympathizer—anyway, the hogs were poisoned and died and it is quite a loss to Mr. Burch.—Hopkins Journal.

Mrs. M. L. Bentley, Mrs. C. C. Steiger, Mrs. H. J. Beedle and Miss Agnes Eid of Ravenwood were shopping in Maryville yesterday.

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY
Hanamo 42. Farmers 114.

Will Meet Tomorrow Night.

The Eastern Star will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. hall.

For Samuel Vulgamott.

A picnic was given last night at Normal park in honor of Samuel Vulgamott, who leaves soon for Camp Funston. Those present were Mr. Vulgamott, Lois Wiley, Virgil Vulgamott, Stella Scott, Arthur Wilson, Alta Doyle, Oral Rogers, Sallie Morgan, Myrtle Rasnic, Wes Bagley. A two-course picnic supper was served.

Mrs. Florea Hostess.

Mrs. Delbert Florea was hostess to the L. I. Club, Thursday of last week, with a good number present. The meeting was presided over by the president, Miss Jennie Ringgold. The afternoon was spent in sewing and knitting. Meetings will be held monthly instead of semi-monthly on account of the time being taken up by the L. I. auxiliary.

Entertained Wednesday Bridge Club.

Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend entertained the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club yesterday afternoon at her home on West Second street. Mrs. Henry Bohm of Denver, Colo., Mrs. Luther Forsyth, Mrs. Lewis DeHart of Columbus, O., and Miss Lois Markham were guests of the club. Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard won high score. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Surprised Newlyweds.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham, who were recently married in Sharpsville, Pa., and returned to their home in Clyde, were surprised when a party of their friends gathered to charivari them. The evening was spent with music and games. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present were: Mrs. John Sturm, Mrs. Rosie Stuckle, Mrs. George Wobbe of Elbon, S. D., Mrs. Charles Teson, Mrs. Albert Felix, Mrs. Jim Enis, Mrs. Joe Enis, Mrs. Chas. Gittings, Mrs. Dorothy Wobbe, Elbon, S. D., Mrs. Joe Gittings, Elbon, S. D., Mrs. Laura Sweeney of Streeter, Ill., Mrs. D. Van Schugan, Mrs. Tom McGary, Mrs. Walter Briggs, Mrs. Tom Farnan, Mrs. O. E. Klaas, Mrs. Ed Merrigan, Mrs. Chris Juhl, Misses Besse Graham, Bertie, Anna Laura and Margaret Merrigan, Nora Ellerman, Amelia Weichen, Gladys Fox, Dorothy Luebcke, Mae Sweeney, Nora and Margaret Felix and Elizabeth Steren.

Car Wyoming lump coal just arrived; $9 per ton delivered from the car; strictly sootless. Wm. Everhart. 9-11

Hurrah! Hurrah! The Angells are coming to Maryville and will be here all next week. Adv.

ARMISTICE ON UKRAINIAN FRONT

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 9.—An armistice has been reached on the Ukrainian fighting front in Russia, said an exchange telegraph dispatch from Moscow today. The armistice was negotiated between the Bolsheviki and the Germans, the Ukrainians taking no part.

Dr. Charles Dean Here on Visit.

Dr. Charles Dean of Longmont, Colo., arrived in Maryville Sunday to visit his father, Dr. J. W. Dean, who is ill at the St. Francis hospital, and his brother, Dr. L. E. Dean, who is enlisted in the reserve medical corps of the United States army, and expects to be called to service soon.

Returned Home Last Night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Wray returned last night from Santa Monica, Cal., where they spent the winter with relatives.

Miss Nelle Overly of Mound City, who has been visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Dean, returned this morning to her home.

Henry Bohm of Denver, Colo., arrived in Maryville at noon today to visit his daughter, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend. Mrs. Bohm has been here several days.

Miss Artie Lee Parrish of Skidmore is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. J. Donahue.

Thresa Mae Donahue of Maryville is visiting her great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gale of Skidmore.

Dr. C. T. Bell returned last night from Jefferson City, where he attended the State Annual Medical Association meeting.

Mrs. Roy Wolfers of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolfers of Maryville, were in St. Joseph on business yesterday.

Old-fashioned Peppermint Patties at Orear's.

All Good Things Come in Pairs

And about the best things that come in pairs are

J & K
PUMPS AND OXFORDS
For Summer

You'll agree to this once you've experienced the delights of wearing footwear which looks neat and dainty all the time: feels as restful as your old pair the first time you wear your new shoes, and is serviceable and economical because made of the best materials.

Since you get all this (and more) it's high time for you to try your pair of J & K's now

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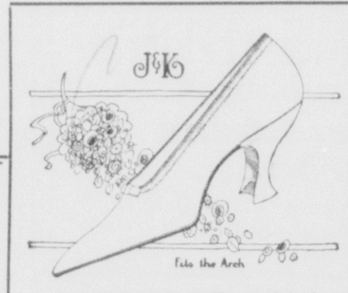

A striking J. & K. model in white kid, leather covered Louis heel—$8.00.

Also the same model in white canvas with canvas covered Louis heel—$3.00.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Dainty Footwear

UNS PLAN NEW DRIVE WITH 1 1-2 MILLION MEN

THIS is the age of Beautifu
There was a time, not so many years back, that footwear was thought of only as protection and shoes were built with the one idea of service. Style and fit was unknown. Today style and fit play as prominent a part in the clothing of the foot as does service and possibly more so.

The short skirts call for dainty close fitting patterns in footwear, therefore, the narrow toes with close trimmed soles are in strong demand.

The heels vary in height and style—the French heels, the new Cuban heels and the Military heels are all very popular.

High top colored boots still continue to sell well, while many have turned their attention to the low cuts. Oxfords and pumps are the leaders in low cuts, although many still demand strap effects.

Patents are leading for spring, while kid in colors and black are very good.

Our spring stock has been arriving for some time and at present we have a real good assortment of the leading styles for all occasions, in sizes and widths to fit most any foot.

We have some broken lots of pumps and slippers that were carried over from last season that we are assembling for quick clean-up. It will be worth your while to see these special lots—they are real bargains.

Stockings

It has been difficult this spring to secure hosiery. But, nothwithstanding these problems we have collected a very complete stock of silk, lisle and cotton stockings in black, white and colors.

Some colors have been impossible to get, but the most wanted colors are here to choose from. Those shades of gray and brown that we have had such difficulty in getting are now here and at very reasonable prices.

Nice quality of mercerized hose for women, field mouse, medium gray and cordovan brown, all sizes at, the pair....59c

Gauze lisle hose in nickel, seal and cordovan brown, at the pair.....59c

Ladies' Wayne Knit, pure silk hose with heavy reinforced wearing parts, gold, coral, slate, emerald, kelly green, sky, pink and copenhagen blue, at the pair.....$1.50

Other silk hose in white and colors.....90c to $2.00

Also cotton hose in black and white for women and children, at the pair.....19c and up

CHICKENS GET SUBSTITUTES

Food Administrator Learns That Persons Are Not Using Them as Contemplated by the Government

It has come to the attention of the county food administrator that persons who are purchasing substitutes with wheat flour are not using the substitutes as is contemplated by the government, but are feeding them to chickens. This is a direct evasion of the responsibility of helping the government in this crisis and the practice is condemned as being a form of "slacking." Food substitutes are to be used in place of some other food, or combined with some other food that wheat flour shall be saved. Those who are using their substitutes in any other way are not doing their part and if persisted in will be called to give an account to the government.

Flag Flies Above Garden.

With the great and growing need forf ood to feed the army of the United States, the Allies of America and its own people, there is a spiritual beauty about a garden of vegetables which surpasses that of a sweet-scented garden of flowers. Above every home garden in the United States there is floating in spirit, if not in reality, the red, white and blue of the American flag. Last year there were planted in this country 3,000,000 home gardens. This was the estimate of the national war garden commission, through whose encouragement and inspiration the "war garden" movement was started.—From "House and Garden."

Delbert Strong returned yesterday from Rochester, Minn., where he has been with his wife, who is taking treatment there. Mrs. Strong is very much improved.

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Old-fashioned Peppermint Patties at Orear's.

Tom McGary of Clyde is a Maryville visitor today.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

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suit purchaser. These are nice lot o' Chester White pigs, just old enough t wean. L. B. Converse, Mutual 36-18. 7-9

FOR SALE—Household goods, including large sized soft coal heater, sanitary couch, good clothing, library table, 4 beds, 2 dressers, dining table and chairs, 2 washstands. Inquire lower east Hyslop apartment. 7-9*

FOR SALE—Jersey male calf. O. L. Robey, 416 W. 11th St. Hanamo 475. 8-10

FOR SALE—Black soy beans, $5.00 per bushel, f. o. b. Hopkins, bags extra. Sayler Hdw. Co., Hopkins, Mo. 8-10

FOR SALE—Choice yellow Jersey sweet potato plants, 50c per 100. H. A. Coulter, Farmers phone 525. 8-11

FOR SALE—Extra good tomato and cabbage plants, 10c doz., 60c hundred. Mango peppers 15c doz., 75c hundred. Frazee's Greenhouse. Hanamo 4711. 9-11*

MISCELLANEOUS

IF the man who got my tile spade when I was not looking will return it, no questions will be asked. W. R. Smiley. 7-9*

RUMMAGE SALE—Friday and Saturday by ladies of Presbyterian church at Kane building. 7-9

LOST—Sunday, girl's dark brown coat, near river bridge northeast Pickering. Notify W. J. Noakes, Pickering, phone 9-54. 7-9*

DON'T FAIL to investigate my Pre-Valued automobile insurance indemnity single or term policies. Maximum efficiency, on an equitable basis besides forty years' experience. At your service for tire, lightning, hail and tornado, as well as accident and plate glass. See me while you think about it. Chas. Hyslop. 29tf

HAVE your old mattresses made over like new; feather mattresses made from your old feather beds. Hanamo 440. P. O. Box 93. 8-10*

LOST — Two five-dollar bills between Buchanan and Walnut on Third Street. Return Democrat-Forum office. 9-11

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room cottage, modern except heat, across street from Baptist church. Dr. K. C. Cummins. 1tf

WANTED

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and repair. Armstrong's Foundry. 2tf

WANTED—3 or 4 furnished rooms downstairs for housekeeping. Close in. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 7-9*

Found.

FOUND—Auto license No. 130356. Owner can have by inquiring Democrat-Forum and paying for ad. 8-10

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Casteel of Ravenwood were in Maryville yesterday.

High-Grade Reid's Yellow Dent

Seed Corn

Sold on guarantee of 80 per cent germination and 12 days' test.

This corn has been nubbed and shelled and my price is $5.00 per bushel f. o. b. Maryville.

W. S. HUSTIN, Marshall, Mo.

Corn on sale at

W. W. Jones & Co.

Maryville, Mo.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, May 9.—CORN—May $1.27.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, May 9. — CATTLE — Receipts 3,000; steers $12.00 @ $17.25; cows $8.00 @ $14.50.

HOGS—Receipts 4,000 top $17.65; bulk $17.35 @ $17.60.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen	29c
Butter fat, per lb	40c
Hides, per lb	11c
Hens, per lb	20c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	10c
Roosters, per lb	12c

FRANCE TOOK THE BURDEN

French High Commissioner Tells of Terrible Toll — Blood and Treasure Poured Out

"Americans, you've been slow," Lieut. Vincent de Wierzbicki, member of the French High Commission, told his hearers last night at the Independence Boulevard Christian church, says today's Kansas City Times. "While you have delayed, 1,300,000 Frenchmen have died for you, and as many more have become wounded or disabled. There is hardly a French home today which has not a crippled soldier within its walls.

"Do you think you have given liberally? France has given $336 to her war loans for every person in the country.

"To match that America must give in war loans 37 billion dollars, and if we allow for the fact that the average American family income, $1,800, is just twice that of the average in France, America must give 74 billions. France has now in arms 4,750,000 men, with 1,175,000 of these in reserve. And today in the homes of France are but the old men and the little children with the women to do the work in the field and shop.

"The Germans have todate utterly destroyed 743 towns and hold as prisoners 4 million French soldiers, women and children. Numerically the losses of men in battle are less than those of the civilian population, and certainly the fate of those captured in battle is no worse than that of the women and their children that the Germans engulfed in their forward march. Today the British hold 100 miles of trenches, the Belgians sixteen miles, the Americans twelve and the French 340. And never once has that wonderful people complained under the burden of defending the world. If America had entered the war when the Lusitania was sunk the war would have been over. You must hurry now, for time has the start of you."

Lieutenant Wierzbicki was for two years interpreter for the British general staff in France and Belgium.

Hameaulier

A Pure Bred Percheron Stallion.

A dark steel gray, weight 1,970, fine style and action. $15 to insure living colt in foal. Will make the season of 1918 at the barn of J. R. Dowden, three-fourths mile east of Myrtle Tree.

Farmers F1-15.

Grain your old floors to look like new hardwood. Chi-Namel is heel-proof, washable, sanitary, long-wearing, easily applied and costs about 2 cents a square foot. Learn about Chi-Namel varnishes, enamels and other finishes for home use.

The Chi-Namel Store

in your locality will teach you to grain in five minutes, free. Chi-Namel products are confined to one representative merchant in a locality—always a dealer known for high grade service and reliable merchandise.

The Ohio Varnish Co., Cleveland

This means Our store

We are exclusive agents for the Chi-Namel products advertised in the national magazines. We know their worth by actual test—just as we select every article in our stock.

Chi-Namel Color Varnishes — also uncolored — for floors, woodwork and furniture.

Chi-Namel Auto Finishes give color and gloss in one application. Self-leveling. Show no brush marks. Water and weather proof.

Chi-Namel Furniture Polish removes white spots from furniture.

Gaugh & Evans

ADDING SHIP A DAY

150 AMERICAN BATTLESHIPS ARE NOW IN FOREIGN WATERS

MANNED BY 350,000 MEN

By the End of the Year Half a Million Men Will Be In Service—Secretary Roosevelt Tells of Navy Work

America now has 150 warships in European waters manned by between 46,000 and 50,000 sailors and marines, Franklin D. Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, said in an address to 1,500 members of the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A. He added:

"I must be careful of what I say for fear of being court martialed, but I do not think that it is telling any secret that hardly a day passes that we do not add one ship to that fleet in European waters. When we entered the war a year and a month ago there were 75,000 men in the navy. There are 350,000 men in the navy today and by the end of the year there will be a half million.

"Admiral Nelson said there were two ways of winning a war on the sea—by seeking out and destroying the enemy fleet on the high seas, and by bottling it up in port and prevent it from getting out. So far the British navy has succeeded in bottling up the enemy fleet in port. We do not expect that there is any danger of the German fleet ever getting control of the seas. Of course, as far as the underwater craft is concerned we would be wrong to give the impression that the menace is ended, for sinkings occur every day and will continue.

"We can thank God that the transportation of troops has been carried on with such small losses. We must not be blind to the fact that it is possible that we may lose a transport now and then, but we are daily increasing, not so much the defensive against the submarines as we are the offensive. In other words we are building now not on the plan of waiting till we see his periscope alongside but we are going after him and giving him no rest day or night. We believe that the general average of losses due to submarines will not merely remain stationary, but will decrease as time goes on."

Mr. Roosevelt said that he believed that one lesson which the country had firmly learned from the war was the principle of universal service and that universal service was bound to be a national policy in the future.

TO A SOLDIER IN FRANCE

Oh, if today you dream of home,
Think of the road we know
Untangling a blue skein of hills;
And how the birches grow
Against the light, and of that day
Only a year ago!

For here alone those hills again
Your little son and I
Are wishing the enchanted trail
Would lead us round the sky
And drop us in a Flanders field
To see you marching by.

And now the child is eager for
A wonder-tale of Greece;
I tell him how you sailed away
Like Jason for the Fleece,
To find a glory more than gold
Beside the winding Lys.

But while his deep eyes glow and glow,
It seems another tells
The tale and beauty to my heart
No world of meaning spells.
And the river on the valley-floor
Flows over Flemish bells.

—Grace Hazard Conkling, in the Century.

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There are others in this line of business but—

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Opposite the Post Office.

FEEL TIRED?

(By Roger W. Babson)

A painter in a western carriage factory wondered why he felt so tired every night. He didn't work long hours and his employers were good to him, but he just felt miserable all the time. Once or twice he went to his doctor and the doctor told him that nothing special was the matter with him and for him to "cheer up and forget it." But he knew that something was the matter. He believed that God intended him to be naturally healthy and happy. He believed that if anyone were not something was wrong. Yet he was unable to find the difficulty.

One day he saw a notice in some paper that the bureau of statistics of the United tSates department of labor had issued a bulletin (No. 120) on the "Printer's Trade." He wrote for the bulletin and on page 36 he found some suggestions which applied to him and his work. By not carefully washing his hands and cleaning his finger nails he found that he had been gradually poisoning himself and that this was the cause of his difficulty. He became much interested in this pamphlet and went back to his work with much more interest and enthusiasm. The instructions which the department of labor sent not only helped him in his work, but made him a well man. Today that tired feeling has gone.

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Do you realize the wealth of information which the department of labor has and which is at your service? Whether you live in Maine or California, Minnesota or Texas you can write your troubles to the department of labor and it will gladly and freely do its best to help you. Recently, for the benefit of people in distant cities and on farms, a special inquiry and Educational Division has been opened in Room 816, Department of Labor Building, Washington. Here are a corps of experts who will personally attend to your troubles and try to help you.

Don't go around with a tired feeling any longer. Write them today where you work, what your work is, your age, and how long you have worked at your trade and along what lines you want help. Perhaps you will not be as fortunate as was my friend, the painter, but the inquiry will cost you only three cents and the answer may be worth thousands of dollars to you.

ASQUITH ASKS PROBE COMMITTEE

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 9.—Ex-Premier Asquith this afternoon moved that the house of commons appoint a select committee to investigate the charges by General Maurice, former director of military operations, that members of the government made misstatements regarding the British over-seas forces.

Miss Grace Ferritor will spend the week end in Omaha with relatives.

GOOD-BYE BACKACHE, KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLES

For centuries all over the world GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has afforded relief in thousands upon thousands of cases of lame back, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatism, gallstones, gravel and all other affections of the kidneys, liver, stomach, bladder and allied organs. It acts quickly. It does the work. It cleanses your kidneys and purifies the blood. It makes a new man, a new woman, of you. It frequently wards off attacks of the dread and fatal diseases of the kidneys. It often completely cures the distressing diseases of the organs of the body, allied with the bladder and kidneys. Bloody or cloudy urine, sediment or "brick dust" indicate an unhealthy condition.

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To The Public

We have leased the W. C. Frank building, formerly occupied by the Standard Plumbing Co., which we will occupy on or before June 1st with added equipment and better facilities for first-class cleaning and pressing.

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Look for Windstorms Tonight.

With a low barometric pressure this afternoon the weather forecast is for storms late this evening and tonight. The forecast of the weather department is for much cooler tonight with possible frost throughout this part of the state. Friday will also see a considerable change in the temperature.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heekin of Conception Junction were in Maryville on business today.

Mrs. John Neal and son of Grahar were in Maryville today.